Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph on page 1 beginning on line 4, below the subheading "Cross-

Reference to Related Application", with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is a continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/698,338 entitled

"Remotely Reprogrammable Communications Adapter for Providing Access to an Electronic

Device," filed October 27, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. X,XXX,XXX 6,728,804.